

# ARIZONA WORKFORCE

## EMPLOYMENT REPORT

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## State Loses Seasonally Expected Number of Jobs in July; Jobless Rate Rises to 5.1%

In July, Arizona's nonfarm employment levels recorded a seasonally anticipated (or near the 10-year average) over-the-month loss of 37,500 jobs. A majority of these losses occurred in the service-providing industries with a decrease of 34,500 jobs. Natural resources and mining was the only major industry group to register an over-the-month gain in employment. All other major industries reported job losses.

The over-the-year figures showed gains in five out of 11 major industries — natural resources and mining, educational and health services, leisure and hospitality, other services, and government. The remaining six major industries reported over-the-year losses.

Data for the household survey indicate that total employment has been relatively flat while the number of unemployed has been on the rise. As a result, Arizona's seasonally adjusted rate of unemployment increased to 5.1 percent in July from 4.8 percent in June. The nation followed a similar pattern with the national unemployment rate increasing to 5.7 percent in July from 5.5 percent in June.

Along with a rise in the state's adjusted unemployment rate, over-the-year nonfarm employment figures

for July indicated a continued deepening of the economic downturn with a loss of 41,700 jobs, or 1.6 percent. Arizona has lost 128,000 nonfarm jobs since employment levels peaked in December 2006.

In the service-providing industries, government had the largest over-the-month drop in employment of any major industry in July with a seasonally related decrease of 11,300 jobs. The over-the-month losses were, primarily, in state education (-1,000 jobs) and local education (-9,600 jobs). Federal government employment declined by 100.

Leisure and hospitality had the second largest over-the-month drop in employment of any major industry in July with a decrease of 8,400 jobs. Losses occurred in all reported sectors, with a reduction of 1,400 jobs in arts, entertainment and recreation; a decrease of 1,100 jobs in accommodation; and a paring of 5,900 jobs in food services and drinking places. Despite large over-the-month losses in leisure and hospitality, these losses were mostly seasonal (near the 10-year average) and the industry has gained 2,600 jobs since July 2007. Unlike the rest of leisure and hospitality, accommodation employment has been flat with no growth

## Arizona, U.S. Economic Indicators

### Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adj.)

	Jul. '08	Jun. '08	Jul. '07
United States	5.7%	5.5%	4.7%
Arizona	5.1%	4.8%	3.7%
Phoenix-Metro	4.6%	4.3%	3.3%
Tucson-Metro	4.9%	4.7%	3.6%
Flagstaff-Metro	4.5%	4.5%	3.6%
Lake Havasu City-Kingman-Metro	6.5%	6.4%	4.3%
Prescott-Metro	5.0%	4.6%	3.7%
Yuma-Metro	14.4%	15.1%	13.7%

**Note:** See Table section for definitions of metro areas.

NA - Not Currently Available

### Arizona Nonfarm Payroll Employment (in Thousands)

	Jul. '08	Jun. '08	Jul. '07
Overall	2,570.6	2,608.1	2,612.3
Over-Month % Chg.	-1.4%	-2.1%	-1.3%
Year-to-Year % Chg.	-1.6%	-1.5%	1.0%

over-the-year in July.

Trade, transportation and utilities had the next largest over-the-month decrease with a loss of 4,000 jobs.

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For the fourth consecutive month, this major industry group recorded an over-the-year loss in July with a decrease of 6,600 jobs. While retail trade had an over-the-month decrease of 3,900 jobs, wholesale trade had a slight gain of 100 jobs. Staffing reductions were widespread across most retail sectors with the exception of a gain of 100 jobs in motor vehicles and parts dealers. As a result of rising operating costs and weakened demand, transportation and warehousing lost 200 jobs. Employment levels were unaltered in utilities during July.

Professional and business services had an over-the-month loss of 3,300

jobs and an over-the-year decline of 4,500. July marked the 11th consecutive month of over-the-year employment reductions. Since professional and business services employment peaked in December 2006, this industry group has lost 11,600 jobs. Staffing levels were reduced for July in all reported sectors. The employment services sector had one of the largest decreases in this industry group with a loss of 1,100 jobs. Professional, scientific and technical services was one of the bright spots in this industry group with an over-the-year gain of 3,600 jobs.

Educational and health services recorded a close to the 10-year average over-the-month loss of 3,100 jobs. Overall, this major industry group has added 10,300 jobs since July 2007. A majority of the over-the-month reductions occurred in the weakest sector, educational services, with a decrease of 2,700 jobs.

Besides educational services, social assistance also reported an over-the-month loss with a decrease of 700 jobs. In health care employment, ambulatory services was unchanged, hospitals gained 200 jobs and residential care added 100 jobs.

Other services lost 3,100 jobs in July. However, in comparison to July 2007, this major industry group remained relatively unchanged with a slight gain of 200 jobs.

Financial activities had a decrease of 1,000 jobs in July. These reductions were in all reported sectors with the largest loss in real estate, rental and leasing (-400 jobs) and the smallest

in securities and commodities contracts (-100 jobs). The only financial activities sector reporting an over-the-year gain in July was securities and commodities contracts, which was up by 300 jobs.

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For the major industry group of information, job losses totaled 300. The telecommunications sector followed a similar trend with a decrease of 100 jobs.

Among the goods-producing industries, construction was the weakest major industry with employment reductions totaling 3,000 jobs in July. Job losses have numbered 54,900 in this industry group since the most recent peak in construction employment in June 2006. Over-the-month job losses in July were present in almost all reported construction sub-sectors with the exception of heavy

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and civil engineering, which remained unchanged. Building construction had a decrease of 900 jobs while specialty trades reported a loss of 2,100 jobs.

Manufacturing employment dropped by 100 last month. Almost all reported fabrication sectors had unchanged employment levels with the exception of nondurable goods, which had a near 10-year average loss of 100 jobs. Aerospace products and parts employment was unchanged in both over-the-month and over-the-year comparisons and was the only reported sector in manufacturing not showing over-the-year losses.

Natural resources and mining gained 100 jobs in July. The majority of these employment increases occurred in the metal ore mining sector with an addition of 100 jobs. Since its most recent trough in employment levels (March 2004), natural resources and mining has added 4,800 jobs. In addition, this major industry group had an over-the-year gain of 1,300 jobs.

The most encouraging sign in the July 2008 employment figures was that over-the-month nonfarm job losses were near seasonally anticipated levels. In addition, natural resources and mining had a gain of 100 jobs. Finally, over-the-year job gains occurred in five of 11 major industry groups. Despite these encouraging signs, continued weakness in Arizona's economy contributed to an increase in the seasonally adjusted unemployment rate.

### Over-the-Month Percentage Change in July Arizona Total Nonfarm, Goods-Producing and Service-Providing Employment, 1998-2008 and 10-Year Average

	<u>Total Nonfarm</u>	<u>Goods-Producing</u>	<u>Service-Providing</u>
<b>10-Year Average.....</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>	<b>-0.1%</b>	<b>-1.5%</b>
<b>2008.....</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>	<b>-1.6%</b>
<b>2007.....</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>
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<b>2005.....</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>
<b>2004.....</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>
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*Source: Arizona Department of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, August 2008*

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## BLS, Other Factors Determine Level of Industry Detail

*Who decides which industries are published for the state, MSAs and counties?*

Most current government statistical series classify economic activity by using the North American Industrial Classification System, known as NAICS. This system is used to classify businesses according to their processes of production. The NAICS system was last revised in 2007 and is shared by the United States, Canada, and Mexico. In the United States, implementation is the responsibility of the U.S. Economic Classification Policy Committee (ECPC) under the direction of the Office of Management and Budget.

The NAICS system identifies each business in the United States as belonging to one of 670 industries. The system then combines these industries into broader groups. At the highest level of aggregation, there are 20 very general groups known as sectors. For example, Construction, Manufacturing, and Retail Trade are three sectors. Following a recommendation from the ECPC, the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program also uses industry groupings called supersectors, which are combinations of NAICS sectors. One example of a supersector is Trade, Transportation, and Utilities, combining the four sectors of Wholesale Trade, Retail Trade,

## Arizona Workforce Q&A

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Transportation and Warehousing, and Utilities. Other published supersectors include Financial Activities, Professional and Business Services, Education and Health Services, and Leisure and Hospitality.

The CES program assigns a NAICS classification to each establishment based on its principal business activity. Additionally, the CES program classifies establishments according to ownership, as either private or government, and further identifies government as federal, state or local. Employment at government-owned establishments is counted in government, regardless of the NAICS classification.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics supports publication, at a statewide level, of all 20 NAICS sectors, all supersector combinations, and three government series. For MSAs with employment more than 100,000, such as Phoenix and Tucson, BLS supports publication of seven sec-

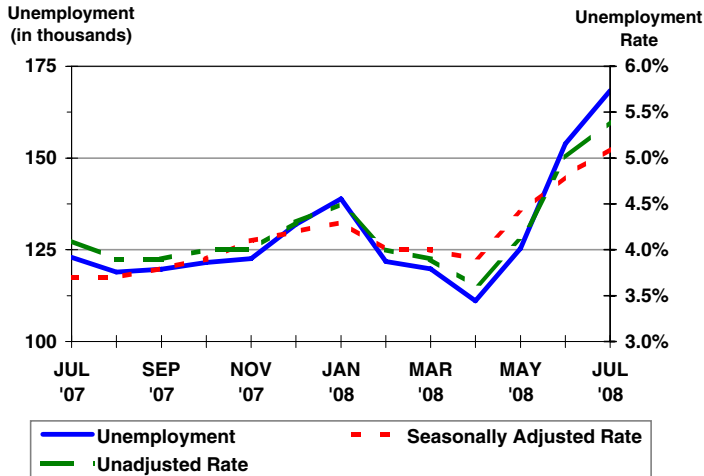
tors, five supersector combinations, and three government series. For the smaller MSAs, two private ownership series and one government series are guaranteed.

How much additional detail is published depends upon how much employment there is in each industry and whether an adequate sample is available for estimation. This determination is made at the end of the year and is based on how many establishments have been surveyed, how many have responded with data, and how much of each industry's employment is covered by the responding establishments. Based on this annual review, some non-required series will be estimated using the sample, some will be estimated using historical trend information and models, and some series will be eliminated. Examples of non-required published series in Arizona are Specialty Trade Contractors, Computer and Electronic Products Manufacturing, Department Stores, and Hospitals. Arizona publishes a total of 33 non-required statewide estimates, all of them official estimates published jointly by BLS and Arizona.

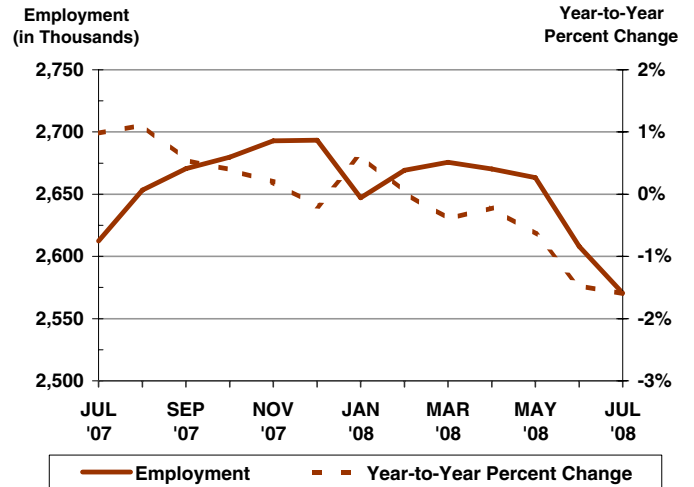
County employment series, other than for counties which are also MSAs (e.g., Pima, Yuma), are not official BLS series and are determined and published only by Arizona. These estimates are based on a combination of sample data and historical trends. Fewer series are published for the smaller counties because the level of employment in some series is too low for reliable estimation.

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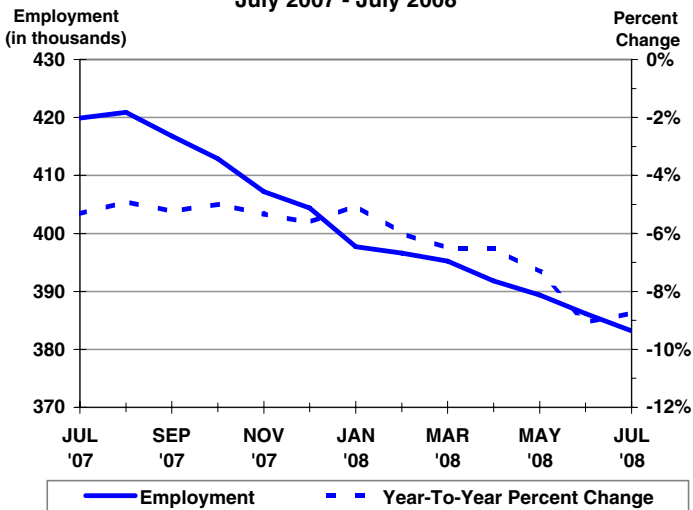
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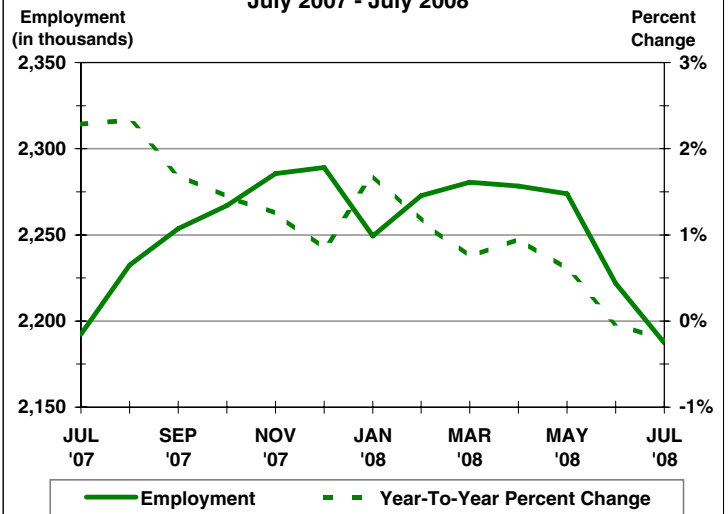
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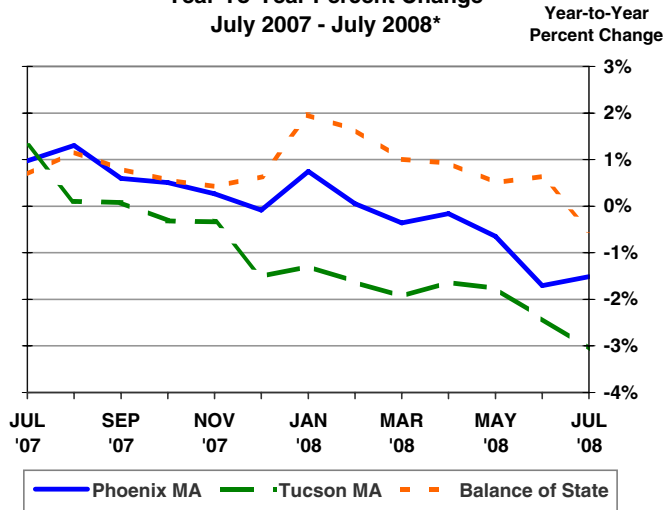
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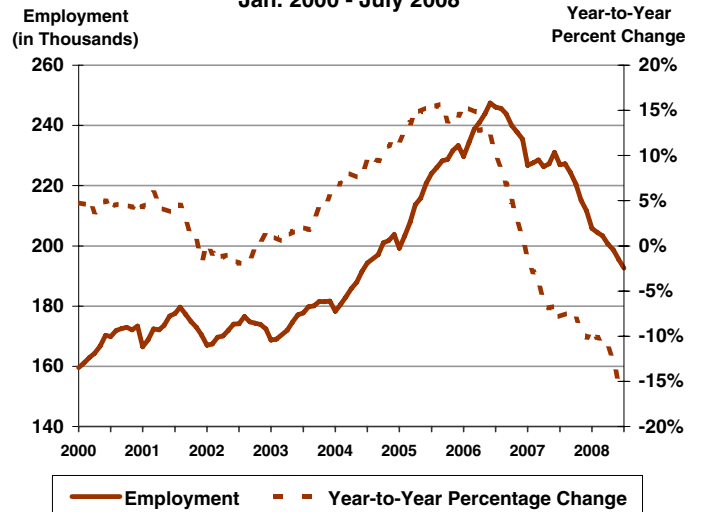
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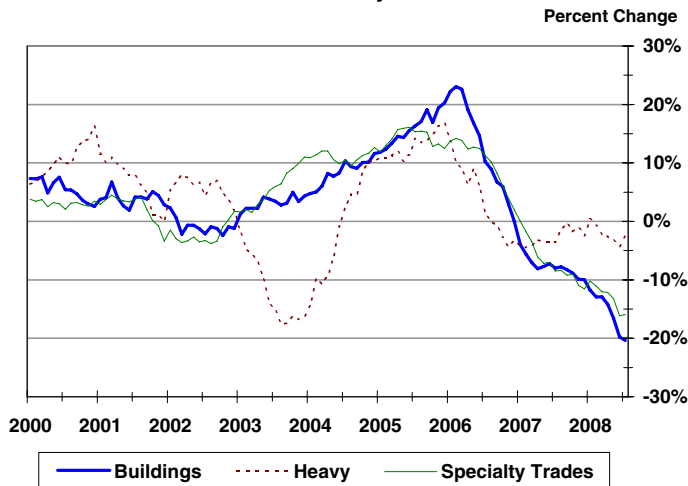
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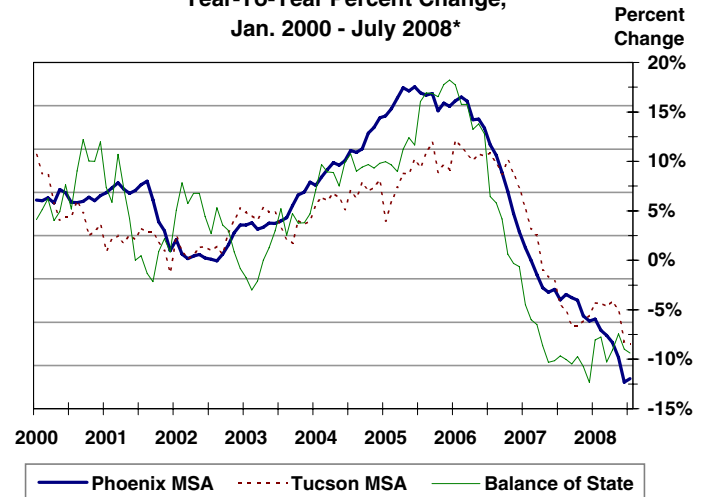
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**Major Arizona Construction Subsectors,  
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\* Balance of State equals all counties outside the Phoenix (Maricopa and Pinal counties) and Tucson (Pima County) metro areas

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Table 1

**Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Unemployment Rates, July 2008<sup>(a)(b)</sup>**

(in Thousands)

<b>ARIZONA</b>	<b>July 2008<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>June 2008<sup>(d)</sup></b>	<b>July 2007</b>	<b>Monthly/Yearly Change</b>	
				<b>June '08 - July '08</b>	<b>July '07 - July '08</b>
<b>Civilian Labor Force<sup>(e)</sup></b>	3,100.4	3,085.8	3,031.4	14.6	69.0
<b>Unemployment</b>	168.4	153.9	122.9	14.5	45.5
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	5.4%	5.0%	4.1%	0.4	1.3
<b>Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)<sup>(f)</sup></b>	5.1%	4.8%	3.7%	0.3	1.4
<b>Total Employment</b>	2,932.0	2,931.9	2,908.5	0.1	23.5

**PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA (Maricopa & Pinal counties)**

<b>Civilian Labor Force<sup>(e)</sup></b>	2,096.7	2,085.2	2,049.5	11.5	47.2
<b>Unemployment</b>	98.5	90.7	68.1	7.8	30.4
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.7%	4.3%	3.3%	0.4	1.4
<b>Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)<sup>(f)</sup></b>	4.6%	4.3%	3.3%	0.3	1.3
<b>Total Employment</b>	1,998.2	1,994.5	1,981.4	3.7	16.8

**TUCSON MSA (Pima County)**

<b>Civilian Labor Force<sup>(e)</sup></b>	460.2	459.2	455.3	1.0	4.9
<b>Unemployment</b>	23.9	22.1	17.4	1.8	6.5
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	5.2%	4.8%	3.8%	0.4	1.4
<b>Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)<sup>(f)</sup></b>	4.9%	4.7%	3.6%	0.2	1.3
<b>Total Employment</b>	436.3	437.1	437.9	-0.8	-1.6

**YUMA MSA (Yuma County)**

<b>Civilian Labor Force<sup>(e)</sup></b>	85.3	83.2	81.4	2.1	3.9
<b>Unemployment</b>	17.1	14.8	15.5	2.3	1.6
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	20.0%	17.8%	19.1%	2.2	0.9
<b>Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)<sup>(f)</sup></b>	14.4%	15.1%	13.7%	-0.7	0.7
<b>Total Employment</b>	68.3	68.4	65.8	-0.1	2.5

**FLAGSTAFF MSA (Coconino County)**

<b>Civilian Labor Force<sup>(e)</sup></b>	74.1	74.2	72.1	-0.1	2.0
<b>Unemployment</b>	3.7	3.4	2.9	0.3	0.8
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	5.0%	4.6%	4.0%	0.4	1.0
<b>Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)<sup>(f)</sup></b>	4.5%	4.5%	3.6%	0.0	0.9
<b>Total Employment</b>	70.3	70.8	69.2	-0.5	1.1

**Notes:** For notes and source, see end of Table 1

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Table 1 (Cont.)

**Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Unemployment Rates, July 2008<sup>(a)(b)</sup>**

(in Thousands)

				Monthly/Yearly Change	
<u>PRESCOTT MSA (Yavapai County)</u>	July	June	July	June '08 -	July '07 -
	2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	2008 <sup>(d)</sup>	2007	July '08	July '08
Civilian Labor Force <sup>(e)</sup>	102.7	102.5	99.3	0.2	3.4
Unemployment	5.2	4.7	3.7	0.5	1.5
Unemployment Rate	5.1%	4.6%	3.7%	0.5	1.4
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted) <sup>(f)</sup>	5.0%	4.6%	3.7%	0.4	1.3
Total Employment	97.5	97.7	95.6	-0.2	1.9
<u>LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA (Mohave County)</u>					
Civilian Labor Force <sup>(e)</sup>	93.7	93.8	92.8	-0.1	0.9
Unemployment	6.0	5.5	4.3	0.5	1.7
Unemployment Rate	6.4%	5.9%	4.7%	0.5	1.7
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted) <sup>(f)</sup>	6.5%	6.4%	4.3%	0.1	2.2
Total Employment	87.7	88.3	88.5	-0.6	-0.8

- Notes:**
- a) Labor force, unemployment, total employment, and unadjusted and seasonally adjusted unemployment rates are produced by the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program in ADOC, Research Administration, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). BLS data used as part of the input in producing LAUS data come from the monthly Household Survey, produced by the Census Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. For more information on the LAUS program, go to or click on link: <http://www.stats.bls.gov/lau/laufaq.htm>.
  - b) LAUS data should not be used for economic-assistance programs. Data for economic-assistance programs are available by contacting ADOC, Research Administration.
  - c) Preliminary and subject to revision the following month
  - d) Revised
  - e) Adjusted to Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence
  - f) Normal seasonal variations have been eliminated to reflect underlying trends
- MSA - Metropolitan Statistical Area  
NA - Not Available

**Source:** Prepared by the Arizona Dept. of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, August 2008



Table 2

Nonfarm Payroll Employment, July 2008<sup>(a)</sup>

(in Thousands)

ARIZONA	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>2,570.6</b>	<b>2,608.1</b>	<b>2,612.3</b>	<b>-37.5</b>	<b>-41.7</b>
Private Sector	2,181.0	2,207.2	2,225.0	-26.2	-44.0
Government	389.6	400.9	387.3	-11.3	2.3
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>383.2</b>	<b>386.2</b>	<b>419.9</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-36.7</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>177.9</b>	<b>178.0</b>	<b>181.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-3.7</b>
Durable Goods	143.5	143.5	146.9	0.0	-3.4
Fabricated Metal	19.5	19.5	20.1	0.0	-0.6
Computer and Electronic Parts	41.4	41.4	43.0	0.0	-1.6
Aerospace Products and Parts	27.6	27.6	27.6	0.0	0.0
Nondurable Goods	34.4	34.5	34.7	-0.1	-0.3
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Metal Ore Mining	10.0	9.9	8.5	0.1	1.5
<b>Construction</b>	<b>192.6</b>	<b>195.6</b>	<b>226.9</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-34.3</b>
Buildings	34.0	34.9	42.7	-0.9	-8.7
Heavy	27.0	27.0	27.7	0.0	-0.7
Specialty Trades	131.6	133.7	156.5	-2.1	-24.9
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>2,187.4</b>	<b>2,221.9</b>	<b>2,192.4</b>	<b>-34.5</b>	<b>-5.0</b>
<b>Private Service Providing</b>	<b>1,797.8</b>	<b>1,821.0</b>	<b>1,805.1</b>	<b>-23.2</b>	<b>-7.3</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation and Utilities</b>	<b>513.1</b>	<b>517.1</b>	<b>519.7</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-6.6</b>
Trade	429.0	432.8	434.5	-3.8	-5.5
Wholesale Trade	106.3	106.2	108.0	0.1	-1.7
Retail Trade	322.7	326.6	326.5	-3.9	-3.8
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	23.1	23.2	23.3	-0.1	-0.2
General Merchandise	62.8	63.7	63.2	-0.9	-0.4
Department Stores	26.1	26.3	27.0	-0.2	-0.9
Other General Merchandise	36.7	37.4	36.2	-0.7	0.5
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	46.0	45.9	47.4	0.1	-1.4
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	13.5	13.6	14.3	-0.1	-0.8
Building Materials & Garden Equipment Dealers	25.5	25.7	27.7	-0.2	-2.2
Food and Beverage Stores	58.8	59.4	59.5	-0.6	-0.7
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	84.1	84.3	85.2	-0.2	-1.1
Transportation and Warehousing	71.5	71.7	72.4	-0.2	-0.9
Air Transportation	15.4	15.5	16.3	-0.1	-0.9
Truck Transportation	20.0	20.1	20.8	-0.1	-0.8
Utilities	12.6	12.6	12.8	0.0	-0.2
<b>Information</b>	<b>40.9</b>	<b>41.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-2.2</b>
Telecommunications	14.7	14.8	15.8	-0.1	-1.1
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>176.9</b>	<b>177.9</b>	<b>184.0</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-7.1</b>
Finance and Insurance	126.0	126.6	131.7	-0.6	-5.7
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	76.1	76.3	81.9	-0.2	-5.8
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	36.8	37.1	37.0	-0.3	-0.2
Securities, Commodity Contracts	13.1	13.2	12.8	-0.1	0.3
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	50.9	51.3	52.3	-0.4	-1.4
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>395.6</b>	<b>398.9</b>	<b>400.1</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-4.5</b>
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	134.0	134.5	130.4	-0.5	3.6
Management of Companies and Enterprises	27.3	27.6	27.3	-0.3	0.0
Administrative and Support and Waste	234.3	236.8	242.4	-2.5	-8.1
Employment Services	113.3	114.4	118.6	-1.1	-5.3
Business Support Services	27.4	27.5	28.3	-0.1	-0.9
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	47.3	48.2	47.9	-0.9	-0.6
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	<b>308.9</b>	<b>312.0</b>	<b>298.6</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>10.3</b>
Educational Services	39.3	42.0	39.5	-2.7	-0.2
Health Care and Social Assistance	269.6	270.0	259.1	-0.4	10.5
Health Care	234.8	234.5	225.9	0.3	8.9
Ambulatory Health Care Services	122.5	122.5	118.1	0.0	4.4
Hospitals	73.3	73.1	70.3	0.2	3.0
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	39.0	38.9	37.5	0.1	1.5
Social Assistance	34.8	35.5	33.2	-0.7	1.6
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>266.4</b>	<b>274.8</b>	<b>263.8</b>	<b>-8.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	36.5	37.9	34.8	-1.4	1.7
Accommodation and Food Services	229.9	236.9	229.0	-7.0	0.9
Accommodation	46.6	47.7	46.6	-1.1	0.0
Food Services and Drinking Places	183.3	189.2	182.4	-5.9	0.9
<b>Other Services (except Public Administration)</b>	<b>96.0</b>	<b>99.1</b>	<b>95.8</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>0.2</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>389.6</b>	<b>400.9</b>	<b>387.3</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>2.3</b>
Federal	54.4	54.5	52.4	-0.1	2.0
State	79.5	81.0	83.7	-1.5	-4.2
State Education	37.6	38.6	40.5	-1.0	-2.9
Local	255.7	265.4	251.2	-9.7	4.5
Local Education	116.6	126.2	114.6	-9.6	2.0

Notes: For notes and source, see end of Table 2

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment, July 2008<sup>(a)</sup>

(in Thousands)

PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA <sup>1</sup>	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>1,843.7</b>	<b>1,865.2</b>	<b>1,872.0</b>	<b>-21.5</b>	<b>-28.3</b>
Private Sector	1,630.7	1,645.5	1,654.8	-14.8	-24.1
Government	213.0	219.7	217.2	-6.7	-4.2
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>281.2</b>	<b>282.9</b>	<b>311.4</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>-30.2</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>135.4</b>	<b>134.9</b>	<b>137.6</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>-2.2</b>
<b>Durable Goods</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>108.3</b>	<b>110.8</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>-2.3</b>
Computer and Electronic Parts	38.3	38.2	39.6	0.1	-1.3
Aerospace Products and Parts	15.3	15.3	15.3	0.0	0.0
Nondurable Goods	26.9	26.6	26.8	0.3	0.1
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>142.4</b>	<b>144.6</b>	<b>170.6</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>-28.2</b>
Buildings	23.1	23.5	30.8	-0.4	-7.7
Heavy	21.8	21.8	21.5	0.0	0.3
Specialty Trades	97.5	99.3	118.3	-1.8	-20.8
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>1,562.5</b>	<b>1,582.3</b>	<b>1,560.6</b>	<b>-19.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<b>Private Service Providing</b>	<b>1,349.5</b>	<b>1,362.6</b>	<b>1,343.4</b>	<b>-13.1</b>	<b>6.1</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation and Utilities</b>	<b>382.5</b>	<b>383.9</b>	<b>385.1</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-2.6</b>
Trade	317.5	319.0	319.3	-1.5	-1.8
Wholesale Trade	90.6	90.0	89.5	0.6	1.1
Retail Trade	226.9	229.0	229.8	-2.1	-2.9
Clothing & General Merchandise	57.5	58.3	59.0	-0.8	-1.5
General Merchandise	41.8	42.4	42.5	-0.6	-0.7
Department Stores	19.0	19.2	19.7	-0.2	-0.7
Other General Merchandise	22.8	23.2	22.8	-0.4	0.0
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	32.6	32.6	34.3	0.0	-1.7
Building Materials and Garden Equipment Dealers	17.7	18.0	19.2	-0.3	-1.5
Food and Beverage Stores	39.7	40.1	39.8	-0.4	-0.1
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	65.0	64.9	65.8	0.1	-0.8
Transportation and Warehousing	55.7	55.6	56.9	0.1	-1.2
Air Transportation	15.0	15.0	15.3	0.0	-0.3
Truck Transportation	15.9	16.2	16.4	-0.3	-0.5
Utilities	9.3	9.3	8.9	0.0	0.4
<b>Information</b>	<b>30.2</b>	<b>30.4</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-1.9</b>
Telecommunications	12.4	12.5	13.2	-0.1	-0.8
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>149.1</b>	<b>149.7</b>	<b>153.1</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-4.0</b>
Finance and Insurance	109.6	110.0	113.5	-0.4	-3.9
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	65.6	65.8	69.8	-0.2	-4.2
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	31.6	31.8	32.0	-0.2	-0.4
Securities, Commodity Contracts	12.4	12.4	11.7	0.0	0.7
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	39.5	39.7	39.6	-0.2	-0.1
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>320.2</b>	<b>322.0</b>	<b>323.2</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>-3.0</b>
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	103.5	103.7	100.3	-0.2	3.2
Management of Companies and Enterprises	24.3	24.2	23.3	0.1	1.0
Administrative and Support and Waste	192.4	194.1	199.6	-1.7	-7.2
Employment Services	100.2	101.8	106.6	-1.6	-6.4
Business Support Services	18.0	18.1	18.9	-0.1	-0.9
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	36.6	37.1	36.8	-0.5	-0.2
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	<b>213.0</b>	<b>213.9</b>	<b>201.5</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>11.5</b>
Educational Services	32.6	33.2	29.6	-0.6	3.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	180.4	180.7	171.9	-0.3	8.5
Health Care	157.5	157.0	150.3	0.5	7.2
Ambulatory Health Care Services	87.6	87.4	84.5	0.2	3.1
Hospitals	45.6	45.4	43.2	0.2	2.4
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	24.3	24.2	22.6	0.1	1.7
Social Assistance	22.9	23.7	21.6	-0.8	1.3
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>183.1</b>	<b>189.3</b>	<b>178.8</b>	<b>-6.2</b>	<b>4.3</b>
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	26.0	27.1	24.7	-1.1	1.3
Accommodation and Food Services	157.1	162.2	154.1	-5.1	3.0
Accommodation	28.2	28.9	28.0	-0.7	0.2
Food Services and Drinking Places	128.9	133.3	126.1	-4.4	2.8
<b>Other Services (except Public Administration)</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>73.4</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>213.0</b>	<b>219.7</b>	<b>217.2</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>-4.2</b>
Federal	22.3	22.0	21.8	0.3	0.5
State	44.8	45.3	48.2	-0.5	-3.4
State Education	14.5	14.7	16.9	-0.2	-2.4
Local	145.9	152.4	147.2	-6.5	-1.3
Local Education	68.3	74.6	71.3	-6.3	-3.0

Notes: 1) Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale Metropolitan Area includes Maricopa and Pinal counties.  
For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

**Table 2 (Cont.)**  
**Nonfarm Payroll Employment, July 2008<sup>(a)</sup>**

(in Thousands)

<b>TUCSON MSA<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>July 2008<sup>(b)</sup></b>	<b>June 2008<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>July 2007</b>	<b>Monthly/Yearly Change</b>	
				<b>June '08 - July '08</b>	<b>July '07 - July '08</b>
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>362.7</b>	<b>368.8</b>	<b>374.2</b>	<b>-6.1</b>	<b>-11.5</b>
Private Sector	291.0	295.8	302.8	-4.8	-11.8
Government	71.7	73.0	71.4	-1.3	0.3
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>51.7</b>	<b>52.6</b>	<b>56.0</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-4.3</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>26.5</b>	<b>26.9</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
Aerospace Products and Parts	12.2	12.2	11.9	0.0	0.3
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
Specialty Trades	17.1	17.3	19.8	-0.2	-2.7
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>311.0</b>	<b>316.2</b>	<b>318.2</b>	<b>-5.2</b>	<b>-7.2</b>
<b>Private Service Providing</b>	<b>239.3</b>	<b>243.2</b>	<b>246.8</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>-7.5</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation and Utilities</b>	<b>61.5</b>	<b>62.4</b>	<b>63.3</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-1.8</b>
Trade	52.6	53.4	53.9	-0.8	-1.3
Wholesale Trade	10.2	10.5	9.8	-0.3	0.4
Retail Trade	42.4	42.9	44.1	-0.5	-1.7
Clothing & General Merchandise	11.0	11.1	11.2	-0.1	-0.2
General Merchandise	7.6	7.7	7.8	-0.1	-0.2
Department Stores	4.0	4.1	4.2	-0.1	-0.2
Other General Merchandise	3.6	3.6	3.6	0.0	0.0
Food and Beverage Stores	9.0	9.0	9.0	0.0	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	8.9	9.0	9.4	-0.1	-0.5
<b>Information</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-2.5</b>
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>51.0</b>	<b>51.6</b>	<b>52.3</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	20.4	20.6	20.2	-0.2	0.2
Administrative and Support and Waste	26.8	27.6	28.1	-0.8	-1.3
Employment Services	8.7	8.8	8.9	-0.1	-0.2
Business Support Services	8.2	8.4	8.0	-0.2	0.2
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	<b>52.8</b>	<b>53.8</b>	<b>53.6</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Health Care	42.6	42.6	40.8	0.0	1.8
Ambulatory Health Care Services	18.8	18.8	18.2	0.0	0.6
Hospitals	15.1	15.0	14.1	0.1	1.0
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	8.7	8.8	8.5	-0.1	0.2
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>38.7</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Accommodation and Food Services	32.6	33.7	33.5	-1.1	-0.9
Accommodation	5.5	5.6	6.0	-0.1	-0.5
Food Services and Drinking Places	27.1	28.1	27.5	-1.0	-0.4
<b>Other Services (except Public Administration)</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>73.0</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Federal	10.9	11.0	10.6	-0.1	0.3
State	19.9	20.7	20.0	-0.8	-0.1
State Education	14.9	15.7	14.9	-0.8	0.0
Local	40.9	41.3	40.8	-0.4	0.1
Local Education	18.2	18.7	18.5	-0.5	-0.3

**Notes:** 2) Tucson Metropolitan Area includes all of Pima County  
For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment, July 2008<sup>(a)</sup>

(in Thousands)

YUMA MSA <sup>3</sup>	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>50.6</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>50.5</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>
Private Sector	36.4	37.4	37.1	-1.0	-0.7
Government	14.2	14.6	13.4	-0.4	0.8
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.4</b>
Manufacturing	2.7	2.7	2.5	0.0	0.2
Natural Resources and Construction	4.1	4.1	4.7	0.0	-0.6
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>45.2</b>	<b>43.3</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Private Service Providing	29.6	30.6	29.9	-1.0	-0.3
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	9.9	10.1	10.0	-0.2	-0.1
Information	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	1.4	1.5	1.6	-0.1	-0.2
Professional and Business Services	4.7	4.8	4.0	-0.1	0.7
Educational and Health Services	5.6	5.7	5.9	-0.1	-0.3
Leisure and Hospitality	5.1	5.4	5.2	-0.3	-0.1
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.3	1.5	1.6	-0.2	-0.3
<b>Government</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Federal	3.4	3.5	3.3	-0.1	0.1
State and Local	10.8	11.1	10.1	-0.3	0.7

Notes: 3) Yuma Metropolitan Area includes all of Yuma County  
For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

FLAGSTAFF MSA <sup>4</sup>	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>64.5</b>	<b>65.9</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-0.7</b>
Private Sector	45.7	46.2	46.3	-0.5	-0.6
Government	18.8	19.7	18.9	-0.9	-0.1
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Manufacturing	3.9	3.9	3.7	0.0	0.2
Natural Resources and Construction	3.3	3.3	3.7	0.0	-0.4
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>57.3</b>	<b>58.7</b>	<b>57.8</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Private Service Providing	38.5	39.0	38.9	-0.5	-0.4
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.4	10.6	10.2	-0.2	0.2
Information	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	1.6	1.7	1.9	-0.1	-0.3
Professional and Business Services	3.3	3.2	3.5	0.1	-0.2
Educational and Health Services	6.9	7.1	6.8	-0.2	0.1
Leisure and Hospitality	14.0	14.1	14.2	-0.1	-0.2
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.9	1.9	1.9	0.0	0.0
<b>Government</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Federal	2.9	3.2	3.0	-0.3	-0.1
State and Local	15.9	16.5	15.9	-0.6	0.0

Notes: 4) Flagstaff Metropolitan Area includes all of Coconino County  
For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

Table 2 (Cont.)

Nonfarm Payroll Employment, July 2008<sup>(a)</sup>

(in Thousands)

PRESCOTT MSA <sup>5</sup>	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>63.5</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>64.3</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
Private Sector	51.4	52.4	53.0	-1.0	-1.6
Government	12.1	12.5	11.3	-0.4	0.8
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-1.1</b>
Manufacturing	3.1	3.1	3.5	0.0	-0.4
Natural Resources and Construction	8.4	8.5	9.1	-0.1	-0.7
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>53.3</b>	<b>51.7</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Private Service Providing	39.9	40.8	40.4	-0.9	-0.5
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	12.5	12.8	12.7	-0.3	-0.2
Information	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	2.4	2.5	2.6	-0.1	-0.2
Professional and Business Services	4.1	4.2	4.4	-0.1	-0.3
Educational and Health Services	9.8	10.0	9.8	-0.2	0.0
Leisure and Hospitality	8.6	8.7	8.3	-0.1	0.3
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.9	2.0	2.0	-0.1	-0.1
<b>Government</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Federal	1.4	1.4	1.3	0.0	0.1
State and Local	10.7	11.1	10.0	-0.4	0.7

Notes: 5) Prescott Metropolitan Area includes all of Yavapai County.  
For other notes and source, see end of Table 2

LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA <sup>6</sup>	July 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>	June 2008 <sup>(c)</sup>	July 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				June '08 - July '08	July '07 - July '08
<b>Total Nonfarm Payroll Employment<sup>(d,e)</sup></b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>52.5</b>	<b>53.2</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-1.8</b>
Private Sector	43.1	43.9	45.2	-0.8	-2.1
Government	8.3	8.6	8.0	-0.3	0.3
<b>Goods-Producing Industries</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
Manufacturing	3.3	3.3	3.6	0.0	-0.3
Natural Resources and Construction	5.0	5.1	6.0	-0.1	-1.0
<b>Service-Providing Industries</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>44.1</b>	<b>43.6</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Private Service Providing	34.8	35.5	35.6	-0.7	-0.8
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11.5	11.6	11.7	-0.1	-0.2
Information	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	2.7	2.7	2.6	0.0	0.1
Professional and Business Services	3.9	4.0	3.9	-0.1	0.0
Educational and Health Services	7.3	7.5	7.1	-0.2	0.2
Leisure and Hospitality	5.9	6.1	6.8	-0.2	-0.9
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2.5	2.6	2.5	-0.1	0.0
<b>Government</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Federal	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0
State and Local	7.8	8.1	7.5	-0.3	0.3

Notes: 6) Lake Havasu City-Kingman Metropolitan Area includes all of Mohave County  
a) Nonfarm employment at the state and substate level is produced from the monthly establishment survey by the Current Employment Statistics (CES) program of the Arizona Dept. of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. For more information on the establishment survey, go to or click on link: <http://www.stats.bls.gov/sae/790faq2.htm>  
b) Preliminary and subject to revision the following month  
c) Revised  
d) By place of work; does not include agricultural workers, self-employed, unpaid family members, and domestic workers  
e) Detail may not add up exactly due to rounding  
MSA - Metropolitan Statistical Area  
NA - Not Available

Source: Prepared by the Arizona Dept. of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, August 2008

**APACHE COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	20,350	20,125	20,100	19,925	20,000	20,775	20,825	-	-	-	-	-	20,300
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	1,950	1,775	1,650	1,425	1,500	2,175	2,350	-	-	-	-	-	1,825
<b>Rate</b>	9.6%	8.8%	8.2%	7.1%	7.5%	10.5%	11.3%	-	-	-	-	-	9.0%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	9.1%	8.7%	8.2%	7.9%	8.4%	9.3%	9.0%	-	-	-	-	-	8.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	18,400	18,350	18,475	18,525	18,475	18,600	18,475	-	-	-	-	-	18,475
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	19,625	19,825	19,950	19,950	19,875	19,550	19,100	-	-	-	-	-	19,700
<b>Total Private</b>	6,850	6,850	6,975	6,975	7,050	7,025	6,750	-	-	-	-	-	6,925
<b>Goods Producing</b>	750	750	775	800	825	875	825	-	-	-	-	-	800
<b>Service-Providing</b>	18,875	19,075	19,175	19,150	19,050	18,675	18,275	-	-	-	-	-	18,900
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	1,725	1,725	1,725	1,700	1,700	1,675	1,675	-	-	-	-	-	1,700
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	4,375	4,375	4,475	4,475	4,525	4,475	4,250	-	-	-	-	-	4,425
<b>Government</b>	12,775	12,975	12,975	12,975	12,825	12,525	12,350	-	-	-	-	-	12,775
<b>Federal Government</b>	3,225	3,250	3,275	3,275	3,350	3,350	3,125	-	-	-	-	-	3,275
<b>State and Local Government</b>	9,550	9,725	9,700	9,700	9,475	9,175	9,225	-	-	-	-	-	9,500

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**COCHISE COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	58,325	57,625	57,775	57,450	57,600	59,050	58,800	-	-	-	-	-	58,100
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	2,925	2,625	2,500	2,225	2,350	2,950	3,150	-	-	-	-	-	2,675
<b>Rate</b>	5.0%	4.6%	4.3%	3.9%	4.1%	5.0%	5.4%	-	-	-	-	-	4.6%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	4.0%	4.5%	5.0%	5.1%	-	-	-	-	-	4.5%
<b>Total Employment</b>	55,400	55,025	55,275	55,250	55,250	56,125	55,625	-	-	-	-	-	55,425
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	37,500	37,625	37,825	37,650	37,600	37,425	36,400	-	-	-	-	-	37,425
<b>Total Private</b>	25,300	25,275	25,450	25,300	25,225	25,150	24,450	-	-	-	-	-	25,175
<b>Goods Producing</b>	3,125	3,125	3,100	3,075	3,025	3,050	2,975	-	-	-	-	-	3,075
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	2,250	2,225	2,225	2,200	2,175	2,200	2,150	-	-	-	-	-	2,200
<b>Manufacturing</b>	875	900	875	875	850	850	825	-	-	-	-	-	875
<b>Service-Providing</b>	34,375	34,500	34,725	34,575	34,575	34,375	33,425	-	-	-	-	-	34,375
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	22,175	22,150	22,350	22,225	22,200	22,100	21,475	-	-	-	-	-	22,100
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	6,900	6,750	6,775	6,675	6,725	6,650	6,525	-	-	-	-	-	6,725
<b>Information</b>	550	550	525	525	525	525	525	-	-	-	-	-	525
<b>Financial Activities</b>	925	950	950	925	925	900	875	-	-	-	-	-	925
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	4,750	4,775	4,850	4,825	4,775	4,800	4,725	-	-	-	-	-	4,775
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	4,150	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,200	4,125	-	-	-	-	-	4,175
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	4,025	4,075	4,175	4,250	4,225	4,175	3,975	-	-	-	-	-	4,125
<b>Other Services</b>	875	875	900	850	850	850	725	-	-	-	-	-	850
<b>Government</b>	12,200	12,350	12,375	12,350	12,375	12,275	11,950	-	-	-	-	-	12,275
<b>Federal Government</b>	4,800	4,800	4,850	4,875	4,900	4,925	4,925	-	-	-	-	-	4,875
<b>State and Local Government</b>	7,400	7,550	7,525	7,475	7,475	7,350	7,025	-	-	-	-	-	7,400

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**COCONINO COUNTY (FLAGSTAFF MSA)**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	70.2	70.0	70.8	71.1	72.0	74.2	74.1	-	-	-	-	-	71.8
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.5	3.4	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	3.0
<b>Rate</b>	4.9%	4.3%	4.0%	3.4%	3.5%	4.6%	5.0%	-	-	-	-	-	4.2%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	4.1%	3.9%	3.9%	3.7%	4.0%	4.5%	4.5%	-	-	-	-	-	4.1%
<b>Total Employment</b>	66.8	67.0	67.9	68.7	69.5	70.8	70.3	-	-	-	-	-	68.7
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	63.0	63.9	64.7	65.2	66.0	65.9	64.5	-	-	-	-	-	64.7
<b>Total Private</b>	43.7	44.0	44.8	45.1	46.2	46.2	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	45.1
<b>Goods Producing</b>	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	7.1
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	3.3
<b>Manufacturing</b>	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	3.8
<b>Service-Providing</b>	56.1	56.9	57.6	58.2	58.8	58.7	57.3	-	-	-	-	-	57.7
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	36.8	37.0	37.7	38.1	39.0	39.0	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	38.0
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.4	-	-	-	-	-	10.4
<b>Information</b>	.4	.5	.5	.4	.4	.4	.4	-	-	-	-	-	.4
<b>Financial Activities</b>	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	1.7
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	3.2
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	7.1
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	12.5	12.5	13.0	13.3	14.0	14.1	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	13.3
<b>Other Services</b>	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	1.9
<b>Government</b>	19.3	19.9	19.9	20.1	19.8	19.7	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	19.6
<b>Federal Government</b>	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.2	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.9
<b>State and Local Government</b>	16.7	17.2	17.2	17.3	16.7	16.5	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	16.8

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**GILA COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	21,425	21,175	21,300	21,400	21,625	22,025	21,850	-	-	-	-	-	21,550
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	1,125	1,000	950	850	875	1,175	1,275	-	-	-	-	-	1,025
<b>Rate</b>	5.2%	4.7%	4.5%	4.0%	4.1%	5.3%	5.8%	-	-	-	-	-	4.8%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	4.1%	4.5%	5.3%	5.7%	-	-	-	-	-	4.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	20,300	20,200	20,350	20,550	20,750	20,850	20,575	-	-	-	-	-	20,500
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	14,425	14,525	14,600	14,700	14,875	14,600	14,150	-	-	-	-	-	14,550
<b>Total Private</b>	9,500	9,475	9,575	9,650	9,675	9,600	9,350	-	-	-	-	-	9,550
<b>Goods Producing</b>	2,500	2,475	2,475	2,475	2,500	2,475	2,450	-	-	-	-	-	2,475
<b>Service-Providing</b>	11,925	12,050	12,125	12,225	12,375	12,125	11,700	-	-	-	-	-	12,075
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	2,375	2,325	2,400	2,425	2,400	2,375	2,325	-	-	-	-	-	2,375
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	4,625	4,675	4,700	4,750	4,775	4,750	4,575	-	-	-	-	-	4,700
<b>Government</b>	4,925	5,050	5,025	5,050	5,200	5,000	4,800	-	-	-	-	-	5,000
<b>Federal Government</b>	425	450	450	450	550	550	550	-	-	-	-	-	500
<b>State and Local Government</b>	4,500	4,600	4,575	4,600	4,650	4,450	4,250	-	-	-	-	-	4,525

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**GRAHAM COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	15,000	15,150	15,200	15,275	15,425	15,650	15,875	-	-	-	-	-	15,375
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	875	775	750	675	750	925	975	-	-	-	-	-	825
<b>Rate</b>	5.8%	5.0%	4.9%	4.4%	4.8%	5.9%	6.2%	-	-	-	-	-	5.3%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	5.4%	5.0%	5.0%	4.7%	5.4%	5.6%	5.6%	-	-	-	-	-	5.2%
<b>Total Employment</b>	14,150	14,375	14,450	14,600	14,675	14,725	14,875	-	-	-	-	-	14,550
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	8,450	8,900	8,950	8,975	8,925	8,675	8,525	-	-	-	-	-	8,775
<b>Total Private</b>	5,800	5,875	5,975	5,925	5,900	5,850	5,625	-	-	-	-	-	5,850
<b>Goods Producing</b>	1,300	1,300	1,350	1,325	1,350	1,375	1,325	-	-	-	-	-	1,325
<b>Service-Providing</b>	7,150	7,600	7,600	7,650	7,575	7,300	7,200	-	-	-	-	-	7,450
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	1,625	1,650	1,675	1,650	1,650	1,650	1,625	-	-	-	-	-	1,650
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	2,875	2,925	2,950	2,950	2,900	2,825	2,675	-	-	-	-	-	2,875
<b>Government</b>	2,650	3,025	2,975	3,050	3,025	2,825	2,900	-	-	-	-	-	2,925
<b>Federal Government</b>	375	375	375	375	375	400	400	-	-	-	-	-	375
<b>State and Local Government</b>	2,275	2,650	2,600	2,675	2,650	2,425	2,500	-	-	-	-	-	2,550

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**GREENLEE COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	4,300	4,325	4,350	4,400	4,425	4,475	4,525	-	-	-	-	-	4,400
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	175	150	150	150	150	175	200	-	-	-	-	-	175
<b>Rate</b>	3.9%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.9%	4.3%	-	-	-	-	-	3.6%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	3.8%	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	3.7%	4.1%	-	-	-	-	-	3.6%
<b>Total Employment</b>	4,125	4,200	4,225	4,250	4,275	4,300	4,350	-	-	-	-	-	4,250
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	5,000	5,025	5,050	5,150	5,200	5,225	5,300	-	-	-	-	-	5,125
<b>Total Private</b>	4,475	4,500	4,500	4,600	4,650	4,700	4,800	-	-	-	-	-	4,600
<b>Goods Producing</b>	3,900	3,950	3,975	4,050	4,100	4,175	4,275	-	-	-	-	-	4,050
<b>Service-Providing</b>	1,100	1,075	1,075	1,100	1,100	1,050	1,025	-	-	-	-	-	1,075
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	275	250	250	250	225	250	250	-	-	-	-	-	250
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	300	300	275	300	325	275	275	-	-	-	-	-	300
<b>Government</b>	525	525	550	550	550	525	500	-	-	-	-	-	525
<b>Federal Government</b>	25	25	25	25	25	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	25
<b>State and Local Government</b>	500	500	525	525	525	475	450	-	-	-	-	-	500

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**LA PAZ COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	7,925	7,575	7,475	7,350	7,350	7,375	7,400	-	-	-	-	-	7,500
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	500	375	375	325	375	500	575	-	-	-	-	-	425
<b>Rate</b>	6.2%	5.1%	4.9%	4.5%	5.1%	6.8%	7.8%	-	-	-	-	-	5.8%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	5.4%	4.8%	5.0%	4.7%	5.6%	6.7%	7.5%	-	-	-	-	-	5.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	7,450	7,200	7,125	7,025	7,000	6,875	6,825	-	-	-	-	-	7,075
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	5,325	5,300	5,275	5,150	5,075	4,875	4,675	-	-	-	-	-	5,100
<b>Total Private</b>	2,675	2,625	2,625	2,500	2,450	2,400	2,225	-	-	-	-	-	2,500
<b>Goods Producing</b>	300	325	325	300	300	275	250	-	-	-	-	-	300
<b>Service-Providing</b>	5,025	4,975	4,950	4,850	4,775	4,600	4,425	-	-	-	-	-	4,800
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	1,325	1,300	1,275	1,250	1,200	1,200	1,125	-	-	-	-	-	1,250
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	1,050	1,000	1,025	950	950	925	850	-	-	-	-	-	975
<b>Government</b>	2,650	2,675	2,650	2,650	2,625	2,475	2,450	-	-	-	-	-	2,600
<b>Federal Government</b>	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	-	-	-	-	-	325
<b>State and Local Government</b>	2,325	2,350	2,325	2,325	2,300	2,150	2,125	-	-	-	-	-	2,275

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**MARICOPA COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	1980.0	1972.8	1974.6	1964.9	1963.1	1978.3	1989.0	-	-	-	-	-	1974.7
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	77.9	68.3	67.8	61.7	66.9	83.8	91.0	-	-	-	-	-	73.9
<b>Rate</b>	3.9%	3.5%	3.4%	3.1%	3.4%	4.2%	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	3.7%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	3.6%	3.4%	3.4%	3.3%	3.7%	4.1%	4.5%	-	-	-	-	-	3.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	1902.1	1904.5	1906.8	1903.2	1896.2	1894.5	1897.9	-	-	-	-	-	1900.7
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	1838.3	1851.0	1855.9	1852.6	1848.8	1807.9	1786.5	-	-	-	-	-	1834.4
<b>Total Private</b>	1612.6	1622.1	1627.4	1624.5	1622.0	1612.4	1597.6	-	-	-	-	-	1616.9
<b>Goods Producing</b>	283.8	283.0	282.2	279.9	277.4	275.2	273.3	-	-	-	-	-	279.3
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	152.6	151.5	150.9	148.5	146.3	144.1	141.8	-	-	-	-	-	148.0
<b>Manufacturing</b>	131.2	131.5	131.3	131.4	131.1	131.1	131.5	-	-	-	-	-	131.3
<b>Service-Providing</b>	1554.5	1568.0	1573.7	1572.7	1571.4	1532.7	1513.2	-	-	-	-	-	1555.2
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	1328.8	1339.1	1345.2	1344.6	1344.6	1337.2	1324.3	-	-	-	-	-	1337.7
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	380.5	378.2	378.0	377.1	376.2	374.7	373.3	-	-	-	-	-	376.9
<b>Information</b>	30.5	30.8	31.0	30.6	30.7	30.1	29.9	-	-	-	-	-	30.5
<b>Financial Activities</b>	149.0	149.3	149.2	148.4	148.4	148.2	147.5	-	-	-	-	-	148.6
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	314.3	317.4	318.9	318.8	319.3	318.6	316.8	-	-	-	-	-	317.7
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	205.1	207.9	209.4	210.1	210.8	209.7	208.8	-	-	-	-	-	208.8
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	181.8	186.2	188.8	189.8	188.8	184.7	178.6	-	-	-	-	-	185.5
<b>Other Services</b>	67.6	69.3	69.9	69.8	70.4	71.2	69.4	-	-	-	-	-	69.7
<b>Government</b>	225.7	228.9	228.5	228.1	226.8	195.5	188.9	-	-	-	-	-	217.5
<b>Federal Government</b>	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.9	-	-	-	-	-	20.6
<b>State and Local Government</b>	205.3	208.5	208.1	207.4	206.1	174.8	168.0	-	-	-	-	-	196.9

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**MOHAVE COUNTY (LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA)**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	94.3	93.2	93.1	92.4	92.5	93.8	93.7	-	-	-	-	-	93.3
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	5.6	5.0	4.9	4.4	4.8	5.5	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	5.2
<b>Rate</b>	5.9%	5.4%	5.3%	4.8%	5.2%	5.9%	6.4%	-	-	-	-	-	5.6%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	5.3%	5.4%	5.4%	5.4%	5.4%	6.4%	6.5%	-	-	-	-	-	5.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	88.7	88.2	88.2	88.0	87.7	88.3	87.7	-	-	-	-	-	88.1
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	53.7	53.6	53.9	53.7	53.3	52.5	51.4	-	-	-	-	-	53.2
<b>Total Private</b>	45.0	44.8	45.1	44.9	44.5	43.9	43.1	-	-	-	-	-	44.5
<b>Goods Producing</b>	9.1	9.0	8.8	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	8.7
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	5.3
<b>Manufacturing</b>	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	3.4
<b>Service-Providing</b>	44.6	44.6	45.1	45.1	44.7	44.1	43.1	-	-	-	-	-	44.5
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	35.9	35.8	36.3	36.3	35.9	35.5	34.8	-	-	-	-	-	35.8
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	11.7	11.7	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	11.8
<b>Information</b>	.9	.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	1.0
<b>Financial Activities</b>	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	4.0
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	7.4
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.1	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	6.3
<b>Other Services</b>	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	2.7
<b>Government</b>	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.6	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	8.7
<b>Federal Government</b>	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	-	-	-	-	-	.5
<b>State and Local Government</b>	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.1	7.8	-	-	-	-	-	8.2

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**NAVAJO COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	38,900	38,325	38,500	38,350	38,950	40,025	40,275	-	-	-	-	-	39,050
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	3,075	2,850	2,675	2,325	2,500	3,350	3,600	-	-	-	-	-	2,900
<b>Rate</b>	7.9%	7.4%	6.9%	6.1%	6.4%	8.4%	8.9%	-	-	-	-	-	7.4%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	7.2%	7.1%	6.8%	6.5%	7.2%	7.8%	7.7%	-	-	-	-	-	7.2%
<b>Total Employment</b>	35,825	35,475	35,825	36,025	36,450	36,675	36,675	-	-	-	-	-	36,125
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	29,650	29,650	29,975	30,025	30,375	29,875	29,350	-	-	-	-	-	29,850
<b>Total Private</b>	18,925	18,725	19,000	18,950	19,200	19,200	18,775	-	-	-	-	-	18,975
<b>Goods Producing</b>	3,475	3,375	3,425	3,425	3,425	3,425	3,350	-	-	-	-	-	3,425
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	2,675	2,600	2,625	2,625	2,650	2,650	2,600	-	-	-	-	-	2,625
<b>Manufacturing</b>	800	775	800	800	775	775	750	-	-	-	-	-	775
<b>Service-Providing</b>	26,175	26,275	26,550	26,600	26,950	26,450	26,000	-	-	-	-	-	26,425
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	15,450	15,350	15,575	15,525	15,775	15,775	15,425	-	-	-	-	-	15,550
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	5,750	5,725	5,825	5,750	5,800	5,800	5,850	-	-	-	-	-	5,775
<b>Information</b>	825	825	825	800	800	825	800	-	-	-	-	-	825
<b>Financial Activities</b>	625	600	600	600	625	575	550	-	-	-	-	-	600
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	1,250	1,225	1,250	1,250	1,225	1,250	1,250	-	-	-	-	-	1,250
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	3,575	3,550	3,575	3,525	3,525	3,400	3,125	-	-	-	-	-	3,475
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	2,775	2,775	2,850	2,950	3,175	3,250	3,200	-	-	-	-	-	3,000
<b>Other Services</b>	650	650	650	650	625	675	650	-	-	-	-	-	650
<b>Government</b>	10,725	10,925	10,975	11,075	11,175	10,675	10,575	-	-	-	-	-	10,875
<b>Federal Government</b>	1,600	1,625	1,650	1,725	1,775	1,800	1,650	-	-	-	-	-	1,700
<b>State and Local Government</b>	9,125	9,300	9,325	9,350	9,400	8,875	8,925	-	-	-	-	-	9,175

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**PIMA COUNTY (TUCSON MSA)**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	457.8	458.8	459.3	458.3	457.4	459.2	460.2	-	-	-	-	-	458.7
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	20.6	18.1	17.7	16.3	17.5	22.1	23.9	-	-	-	-	-	19.5
<b>Rate</b>	4.5%	4.0%	3.9%	3.6%	3.8%	4.8%	5.2%	-	-	-	-	-	4.3%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	4.1%	3.9%	3.9%	3.8%	4.3%	4.7%	4.9%	-	-	-	-	-	4.2%
<b>Total Employment</b>	437.1	440.6	441.5	441.9	439.9	437.1	436.3	-	-	-	-	-	439.2
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	375.7	381.2	381.2	380.5	379.4	368.8	362.7	-	-	-	-	-	375.6
<b>Total Private</b>	299.5	300.4	301.0	299.3	298.1	295.8	291.0	-	-	-	-	-	297.9
<b>Goods Producing</b>	54.5	54.0	53.7	53.3	53.2	52.6	51.7	-	-	-	-	-	53.3
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
<b>Construction</b>	25.0	24.8	24.7	24.4	24.3	23.6	23.1	-	-	-	-	-	24.3
<b>Manufacturing</b>	27.5	27.2	27.0	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.5	-	-	-	-	-	27.0
<b>Service-Providing</b>	321.2	327.2	327.5	327.2	326.2	316.2	311.0	-	-	-	-	-	322.4
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	245.0	246.4	247.3	246.0	244.9	243.2	239.3	-	-	-	-	-	244.6
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	64.3	63.5	63.2	62.9	62.5	62.4	61.5	-	-	-	-	-	62.9
<b>Information</b>	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	5.5
<b>Financial Activities</b>	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	16.3
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	51.4	52.0	52.1	51.7	51.5	51.6	51.0	-	-	-	-	-	51.6
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	54.0	54.3	54.7	54.3	54.3	53.8	52.8	-	-	-	-	-	54.0
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	38.7	39.8	40.2	40.3	39.8	38.7	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	39.4
<b>Other Services</b>	14.6	14.8	15.1	14.9	15.0	15.1	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	14.9
<b>Government</b>	76.2	80.8	80.2	81.2	81.3	73.0	71.7	-	-	-	-	-	77.8
<b>Federal Government</b>	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	10.8
<b>State and Local Government</b>	65.6	70.2	69.5	70.3	70.4	62.0	60.8	-	-	-	-	-	66.9

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**PINAL COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	106,775	106,025	106,175	105,525	105,600	106,950	107,675	-	-	-	-	-	106,400
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	6,350	5,475	5,475	5,025	5,475	6,925	7,450	-	-	-	-	-	6,025
<b>Rate</b>	5.9%	5.2%	5.2%	4.8%	5.2%	6.5%	6.9%	-	-	-	-	-	5.7%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	5.3%	5.0%	5.2%	5.0%	5.7%	6.3%	6.6%	-	-	-	-	-	5.6%
<b>Total Employment</b>	100,425	100,550	100,675	100,500	100,125	100,025	100,225	-	-	-	-	-	100,350
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	51,625	52,475	52,775	52,975	52,450	51,775	51,250	-	-	-	-	-	52,200
<b>Total Private</b>	32,750	32,950	33,100	33,125	33,100	32,950	32,575	-	-	-	-	-	32,925
<b>Goods Producing</b>	7,825	7,850	7,875	7,875	7,825	7,825	7,800	-	-	-	-	-	7,850
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	4,000	4,025	4,050	4,050	4,025	4,025	3,975	-	-	-	-	-	4,025
<b>Manufacturing</b>	3,825	3,825	3,825	3,825	3,800	3,800	3,825	-	-	-	-	-	3,825
<b>Service-Providing</b>	43,800	44,625	44,900	45,100	44,625	43,950	43,450	-	-	-	-	-	44,350
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	24,925	25,100	25,225	25,250	25,275	25,125	24,775	-	-	-	-	-	25,100
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	9,375	9,325	9,300	9,275	9,250	9,200	9,150	-	-	-	-	-	9,275
<b>Information</b>	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	-	-	-	-	-	350
<b>Financial Activities</b>	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	-	-	-	-	-	1,500
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	3,450	3,475	3,500	3,500	3,525	3,500	3,475	-	-	-	-	-	3,500
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	4,175	4,225	4,275	4,275	4,300	4,275	4,250	-	-	-	-	-	4,250
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	4,500	4,600	4,650	4,700	4,675	4,600	4,450	-	-	-	-	-	4,600
<b>Other Services</b>	1,575	1,625	1,650	1,650	1,675	1,700	1,600	-	-	-	-	-	1,650
<b>Government</b>	18,875	19,525	19,675	19,850	19,350	18,825	18,675	-	-	-	-	-	19,250
<b>Federal Government</b>	1,350	1,350	1,350	1,375	1,375	1,400	1,400	-	-	-	-	-	1,375
<b>State and Local Government</b>	17,525	18,175	18,325	18,475	17,975	17,425	17,275	-	-	-	-	-	17,875

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**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	18,525	18,275	18,125	18,100	18,125	18,275	18,150	-	-	-	-	-	18,225
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	1,300	1,125	1,050	925	1,050	1,450	1,875	-	-	-	-	-	1,250
<b>Rate</b>	7.0%	6.1%	5.8%	5.2%	5.8%	7.9%	10.4%	-	-	-	-	-	6.9%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	7.9%	7.4%	7.3%	7.0%	7.9%	8.4%	8.3%	-	-	-	-	-	7.7%
<b>Total Employment</b>	17,225	17,150	17,075	17,150	17,075	16,850	16,275	-	-	-	-	-	16,975
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	15,250	15,325	15,225	15,250	15,150	14,600	13,800	-	-	-	-	-	14,950
<b>Total Private</b>	11,475	11,500	11,425	11,450	11,300	10,900	10,275	-	-	-	-	-	11,200
<b>Goods Producing</b>	1,025	1,025	1,000	975	975	950	925	-	-	-	-	-	975
<b>Service-Providing</b>	14,225	14,300	14,225	14,275	14,175	13,650	12,875	-	-	-	-	-	13,950
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	6,450	6,475	6,500	6,575	6,525	6,250	5,850	-	-	-	-	-	6,375
<b>Other Private Service-Providing</b>	4,000	4,000	3,925	3,900	3,800	3,700	3,500	-	-	-	-	-	3,825
<b>Government</b>	3,775	3,825	3,800	3,800	3,850	3,700	3,525	-	-	-	-	-	3,750
<b>Federal Government</b>	1,425	1,450	1,425	1,450	1,475	1,525	1,525	-	-	-	-	-	1,475
<b>State and Local Government</b>	2,350	2,375	2,375	2,350	2,375	2,175	2,000	-	-	-	-	-	2,275

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**YAVAPAI COUNTY (PRESCOTT MSA)**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	99.6	99.9	100.3	100.3	100.3	102.5	102.7	-	-	-	-	-	100.8
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	4.6	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.8	4.7	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
<b>Rate</b>	4.6%	4.0%	3.9%	3.6%	3.8%	4.6%	5.1%	-	-	-	-	-	4.2%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	4.0%	3.8%	3.9%	3.7%	4.3%	4.6%	5.0%	-	-	-	-	-	4.2%
<b>Total Employment</b>	95.0	95.9	96.3	96.8	96.4	97.7	97.5	-	-	-	-	-	96.5
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	64.6	65.8	66.0	65.7	65.6	64.9	63.5	-	-	-	-	-	65.2
<b>Total Private</b>	52.2	52.6	52.8	52.6	52.6	52.4	51.4	-	-	-	-	-	52.4
<b>Goods Producing</b>	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	11.7
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	8.5
<b>Manufacturing</b>	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	3.2
<b>Service-Providing</b>	52.7	54.0	54.2	54.0	53.9	53.3	52.0	-	-	-	-	-	53.4
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	40.3	40.8	41.0	40.9	40.9	40.8	39.9	-	-	-	-	-	40.7
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	12.8
<b>Information</b>	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	-	-	-	-	-	.6
<b>Financial Activities</b>	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	2.5
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	9.9	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	10.0
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	8.5
<b>Other Services</b>	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
<b>Government</b>	12.4	13.2	13.2	13.1	13.0	12.5	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	12.8
<b>Federal Government</b>	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	1.3
<b>State and Local Government</b>	11.1	11.9	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.1	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	11.4

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**YUMA COUNTY (YUMA MSA)**  
**LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT**  
**2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	82.1	79.9	79.4	79.0	83.0	83.2	85.3	-	-	-	-	-	81.7
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	8.5	7.2	7.0	8.9	14.7	14.8	17.1	-	-	-	-	-	11.2
<b>Rate</b>	10.4%	9.0%	8.8%	11.2%	17.8%	17.8%	20.0%	-	-	-	-	-	13.6%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	14.7%	14.1%	13.2%	12.3%	14.2%	15.1%	14.4%	-	-	-	-	-	14.0%
<b>Total Employment</b>	73.5	72.7	72.3	70.2	68.3	68.4	68.3	-	-	-	-	-	70.5
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	56.3	57.0	56.8	55.1	52.9	52.0	50.6	-	-	-	-	-	54.4
<b>Total Private</b>	41.9	42.1	41.8	40.1	38.0	37.4	36.4	-	-	-	-	-	39.7
<b>Goods Producing</b>	8.2	8.2	7.9	7.4	7.0	6.8	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	7.5
<b>Mining and Construction</b>	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	4.4
<b>Manufacturing</b>	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	3.1
<b>Service-Providing</b>	48.1	48.8	48.9	47.7	45.9	45.2	43.8	-	-	-	-	-	46.9
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	33.7	33.9	33.9	32.7	31.0	30.6	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	32.2
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	11.6	11.5	11.9	11.3	10.2	10.1	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	10.9
<b>Information</b>	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
<b>Financial Activities</b>	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	1.5
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	4.8
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	6.0
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	6.0	6.1	6.1	5.8	5.5	5.4	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	5.7
<b>Other Services</b>	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
<b>Government</b>	14.4	14.9	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.6	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	14.7
<b>Federal Government</b>	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	3.4
<b>State and Local Government</b>	11.0	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.1	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	11.3

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**PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA  
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT  
2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	2086.8	2078.8	2080.8	2070.4	2068.7	2085.2	2096.7	-	-	-	-	-	2081.1
<b>Total Unemployment</b>	84.3	73.8	73.3	66.7	72.4	90.7	98.5	-	-	-	-	-	80.0
<b>Rate</b>	4.0%	3.5%	3.5%	3.2%	3.5%	4.3%	4.7%	-	-	-	-	-	3.8%
<b>Rate (Sea. Adj.) *</b>	3.6%	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.8%	4.3%	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	3.8%
<b>Total Employment</b>	2002.5	2005.0	2007.5	2003.7	1996.3	1994.5	1998.2	-	-	-	-	-	2001.1
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	1,896.0	1,909.3	1,914.3	1,911.6	1,906.9	1,865.2	1,843.7	-	-	-	-	-	1,892.4
<b>Total Private</b>	1,646.0	1,655.5	1,660.7	1,658.1	1,655.4	1,645.5	1,630.7	-	-	-	-	-	1,650.3
<b>Goods Producing</b>	291.6	290.8	290.1	287.8	285.3	282.9	281.2	-	-	-	-	-	287.1
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	3.3
<b>Construction</b>	153.4	152.3	151.6	149.2	147.0	144.6	142.4	-	-	-	-	-	148.6
<b>Manufacturing</b>	135.0	135.3	135.1	135.2	134.9	134.9	135.4	-	-	-	-	-	135.1
<b>Service-Providing</b>	1,604.4	1,618.5	1,624.2	1,623.8	1,621.6	1,582.3	1,562.5	-	-	-	-	-	1,605.3
<b>Private Service-Providing</b>	1,354.4	1,364.7	1,370.6	1,370.3	1,370.1	1,362.6	1,349.5	-	-	-	-	-	1,363.2
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	389.8	387.5	387.3	386.3	385.5	383.9	382.5	-	-	-	-	-	386.1
<b>Information</b>	30.9	31.1	31.3	31.0	31.0	30.4	30.2	-	-	-	-	-	30.8
<b>Financial Activities</b>	150.6	150.9	150.7	149.9	149.9	149.7	149.1	-	-	-	-	-	150.1
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	317.8	320.9	322.4	322.3	322.8	322.0	320.2	-	-	-	-	-	321.2
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	209.3	212.1	213.6	214.4	215.0	213.9	213.0	-	-	-	-	-	213.0
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	186.3	190.8	193.3	194.5	193.4	189.3	183.1	-	-	-	-	-	190.1
<b>Other Services</b>	69.7	71.4	72.0	71.9	72.5	73.4	71.4	-	-	-	-	-	71.8
<b>Government</b>	250.0	253.8	253.6	253.5	251.5	219.7	213.0	-	-	-	-	-	242.2
<b>Federal Government</b>	21.8	21.8	21.8	22.1	22.1	22.0	22.3	-	-	-	-	-	22.0
<b>State and Local Government</b>	228.2	232.0	231.8	231.4	229.4	197.7	190.7	-	-	-	-	-	220.1

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